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In re the Application of  
Hisato SHINOHARA et al.

Serial No. 08/169,127

Filed: December 20, 1993

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM OF

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) Date: March 11, 1994

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**SUBMISSION SUPPLEMENTAL TO PETITION IN RESPONSE TO**  
**NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE APPLICATION**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**ATTN: Office of the Assistant Commissioner for Patents**  
**Office of Special Programs Examination**

Sir:

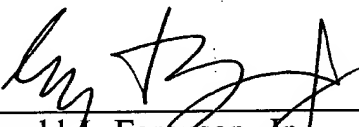
Supplemental to the Petition filed February 1, 1994 and, in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - No Filing Date (dated January 12, 1994) (copy submitted herewith) accompanying the Notice of Incomplete Application (also dated January 12, 1994) (copy also submitted herewith), submitted herewith is an executed Declaration for the subject application as required in the above-mentioned Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - No Filing Date. Also submitted herewith is the application filing fee for the subject application together with the surcharge as also required in the foregoing Notice to File Missing Parts.

Accordingly, it is urged the response to the Notice of Incomplete Application is now complete before the due date of March 12, 1994.

Also, to insure complete compliance with the above Notice of Incomplete Application and the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - No Filing Date, resubmitted herewith is a freshly executed copy of the Petition in Response to Notice of Incomplete Application filed February 1, 1994 and a freshly executed copy of the Preliminary Amendment submitted therewith.

Inasmuch as the requisite petition fee for the foregoing petition was also filed February 1, 1994, it is assumed that a further petition fee for the freshly executed petition submitted herewith is not necessary. However, if this petition fee is necessary at this time, it may be charged to Deposit Account Number 19-2380 together with any further fees required to complete the foregoing petition or to complete the response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - No Filing Date. Accordingly, a duplicate copy of this submission is also submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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Response Due: 3/12/94

### NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE APPLICATION

A filing date has NOT been assigned to the above identified application papers for the reason(s) shown below.

1. ☐ The specification (description and claims):
- a. ☐ is missing
  - b. ☐ has pages \_\_\_\_\_ missing
  - c. ☐ does not include a written description of the invention.
  - d. ☐ does not include at least one claim in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 112.

A complete specification in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 112 is required.

2. ☒ A drawing of Figure(s) 3c-3d described in the specification is required in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 111.
3. ☐ A drawing of applicant's invention is required since it is necessary for the understanding of the subject matter of the invention in compliance with 35 U.S.C. 113.
4. ☐ The inventor's name(s) is missing. The full names of all inventors are required in compliance with 37 CFR 1.41.
5. ☐ Other:

All of the above-noted items, unless otherwise indicated, must be submitted within **TWO MONTHS** of the date of this notice or the application will be returned or otherwise disposed of. Any fee which has been submitted will be refunded less a \$ 120 handling fee. See 37 CFR 1.53(c).

The filing date will be the date of receipt of all items required above, unless otherwise indicated. Any assertions that the items required above were submitted, or are not necessary for a filing date, must be by a petition directed to the attention of the Office of the Assistant Commissioner for Patents accompanied by the \$ 120 petition fee (37 CFR 1.17(h)). If the petition states that the application is complete, a request for refund of the petition fee may be included in the petition.

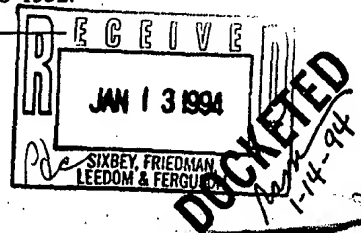
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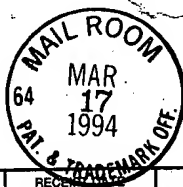
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#### Enclosed:

- ☐ "General Information Concerning Patents." See page \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Copy of a patent to assist applicant in making corrections.
- ☒ "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application," Form PTO-1532.
- ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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**NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**  
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(Enclosure to Form PTO-1123)

Required items 1-9 below SHOULD be filed, with any items required on the "Notice of Incomplete Application" enclosed with this form. The filing date of this application will be the date of receipt of the items required on the "Notice of Incomplete Application." If items 1 and 3-6 below are submitted after the filing date, THE PAYMENT OF A SURCHARGE OF \$ 127 large entities or \$ 127 for small entities who have filed a verified statement 37 CFR 1.27 claiming such status will also be required. (37 CFR 1.16(e)).

The total amount owed by applicant as a ☒ large entity ☐ small entity (verified statement filed) is \$ 127.

1. ☐ The statutory basic filing fee is: ☐ missing ☐ insufficient. Applicant as a ☐ large entity ☐ small entity must submit \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to complete the basic filing fee.
2. ☐ Additional claim fees of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ as a ☐ large entity, ☐ small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
3. ☒ The oath or declaration:  
☒ is missing.  
☐ does not cover items required on "Notice of Incomplete Application."  
An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, referring to the above Application Number and Receipt Date, is required.
4. ☐ The oath or declaration does not identify the application to which it applies. An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Receipt Date, is required.
5. ☐ The signature to the oath or declaration is: ☐ missing; ☐ a reproduction; ☐ by a person other than the inventor or a person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43, or 1.47. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, referring to the above Application Number and Receipt Date, is required.
6. ☐ The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration: \_\_\_\_\_. An oath or declaration signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Receipt Date, is required.
7. ☐ A \$ \_\_\_\_\_ processing fee is required for returned checks. (37 CFR 1.21(m)).
8. ☐ The application does not comply with the Sequence Rules. See attached Notice To Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.
9. ☐ Other:

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